

Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent

Local dealers— Madill's Store and Overland's Store

Mr. and Mrs. D. Coates and son of Brooklin spent Thanksgiving Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Redshaw.

Misses Isobell and Jean Gregg, Kathleen Beelby, Eileen Cooper, Doris Dauphin and Dorothy Hockley of Toronto visited with their parents over the weekend.

Oct. 19th, next Wednesday, is the date of the Bert Williams auction sale of farm stock, implements, hay and grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tindall of Bloomington visited with their niece, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Coates recently.

There's a public auction sale this Saturday, Oct. 15th, on the farm of Edw. Norton, who recently disposed of his farm to Jos. Symes. A new Fordson tractor, and full line of implements in addition to live-stock and furniture will be sold.

The United Sunday School will hold a special service on Oct. 16th, when members of the various classes will contribute to the program along thanksgiving lines. Rev. M. Fletcher of Oshawa will give a short talk instead of the regular lesson period. It is hoped the parents will plan to be present. The male Quaker Hill quartette contributed a couple of musical numbers at the United Church Sunday morning service. Rev. Mr. Hoffman, Green River, retired missionary who served in China, had charge of the service, which combined Thanksgiving and Temperance.

There will be no milk delivery in Claremont and district on Sunday until further notice according to a notice put out by the Uxbridge Dairy.

The annual convention of the Baptist Whitby and Lindsay Association is being held from Monday until Tuesday evening of this week in Whitby. Delegates from both church and circle in Claremont have been appointed.

During the past week, including Thanksgiving Monday, the following members of the family were welcomed guests at the home of Mrs. P. Bennis, Mrs. D. Watson of Uxbridge, Mrs. P. Robertson and family of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Morgan of Belleville, also Mrs. Allen Pamender, Mrs. Willis and Mr. Burgess of Toronto, sister and brother of Mrs. Bennis who are 88, 86, and 84 years old.

Mrs. N. Sanderson spent a few days last week in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Duncan and children of Newmarket spent Thanksgiving weekend with the Sandersons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hockley and baby who have been living in Uxbridge for the past few months have taken up residence for the present with Mrs. Sanderson.

Sky Loft Lodge near here is now accepting reservations for the fall and winter sport activities, including parties, outings, skiing, etc.

Picks Up Three with Stolen Truck on 9th Con.

Constable Fred White of Pickering Township rounded up three auto thieves driving a stolen truck on the 9th con. early Sunday morning. The trio had apparently attempted to get gas and oil at the township tanks, Brougham, and later at the Claremont Co-op warehouse. Al Robinson, local Co-op boss, was called to the plant early Sunday morning but found nothing amiss, although the one elevator door was pushed open.

Win Three Cups at Inter-School Field Day

Competing in the inter-school field meet at Brooklin last week, Claremont students carried off three championship trophies. Ivy Schneider won the senior girls' championship; June Davis tied for the intermediate girls' championship; and Joey Pegg took the intermediate boys' title.

Pickering school won the school championship, their second since the cup has been presented. Claremont has captured the title twice in the past.

Too Much Hush Hush Over New School Area, Claimed At Claremont Meeting

"There has been too much 'hush, hush,' on the part of forming this new school area, and everybody's made a pass at it, except the ratepayers who will pay the shot," declared Wm. Doherty, at a public meeting of north Pickering ratepayers held in the Claremont school on Monday evening.

"This Area Board, if only for courtesy, might keep the Claremont Board informed of what is going on," he said.

The meeting, presided over by G. M. Forsyth of Claremont, was called primarily to discuss the proposed incorporation or annexation of Ajax, but a number of speakers touched on the new school area, and the meeting quickly evolved into a discussion of the area formation, and whether or not it was good for Claremont to be in on.

"Have the twelve acres of land for the new school been bought at \$1,000 an acre," asked Mr. Fred Ward.

"They have," replied Clerk Johnston.

"If the project should fall through, could we get any of our money back?" enquired Mr. Sid Dunning.

"I couldn't say," returned the clerk.

The debenture issue on the proposed new school will mean an annual tax levy of from \$31,000 to \$32,000, Mr. Johnston, municipal clerk told the gathering.

It was revealed the new Board deemed it advisable to purchase twelve acres, rather than only seven, as subsidized by the government, since by doing so they received a reduction of \$200 per acre, and in addition, could prevent the new school from being hemmed in by real estate which might at some later date, have to be expropriated.

"Water was a big factor, in selecting the present site," declared Deputy-Reeve Frank Disney. He said that an estimated 1600 gallons would be required.

The Deputy-Reeve told the ratepayers that five sites had been proposed before the present one was selected. Several were turned down by the Department because they were too close to Highway No. 2.

Former Reeve and Warden Wm. Reesor stated that he believed Claremont and the north corner of the township should have been included in the Stouffville-Markham School Area so that the student wouldn't have to travel so far.

"The Department of Education advised against going in with Stouffville and Markham, but they said that if we thought it advisable in the future, we would change," stated Mr. Sid Dunning. "Of course the Department may have changed their mind by now, as they so frequently do," he continued.

Wm. Doherty told the gathering that he had only recently been in Brampton where there was growing dissatisfaction over the area there because no one could find out anything that was going on. Some schools he learned were preparing to withdraw, he reported.

"School Inspector Rendel, one of the men in charge of 'pushing through' the areas, takes the attitude that the ratepayers are only a nuisance," declared Mr. Doherty. "The Department of Education is too independent in 'pushing' the matter through," he continued. Mr. Doherty declared that a vote should have been taken to determine whether or not the ratepayers were in favour of the area idea. "Why any council or school board members wanted to stick their necks out, I'll never

know, as they're in for a peck of trouble," he continued.

Deputy-Reeve Disney declared that he wasn't in favour of going in with Whitby or Whitby Township as at first proposed for Pickering, as this township has sufficient population and assessment right within its own borders.

"As far as the Area being hush, hush, public meetings were held, and your trustees were at those meetings," declared Mr. Disney.

"Presently proposed boundaries are only tentative," Mr. Dunning claimed.

Mr. Doherty is a former member of the Claremont School Board, and Mr. Dunning is a member. Between fifty and seventy-five ratepayers attended the gathering.

Fear of Annexing Ajax Expressed by Some Residents in North

Fears that Ajax might prove to be a burden rather than asset, if it is returned to the township, were expressed at a public meeting of north Pickering ratepayers held in the Claremont school on Monday evening. The meeting was presided over by Mr. G. M. Forsyth, who called upon Clerk Lloyd Johnston of Pickering, to outline the situation, and explain the proposals of Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation now in control of the Crown village.

According to Mr. Johnston, two proposals were at hand, the one would return Ajax to the township, along with various services, such as water, streets and sewers, for a "nominal" sum; the other suggestion has been for Ajax to be incorporated, but to annex a larger portion of Pickering farm land for this purpose.

"What do they want to get rid of Ajax for?" questioned one ratepayer.

"Central Mortgage and Housing don't want to operate a municipality, so they're quite ready to turn it back to the township," replied Mr. Johnston.

The Township Clerk went on to state that according to assessors figures, there were about three million dollars in taxable property now in Ajax. The Township, he believed, would have to elect a Public Utility Commission to handle the various village services.

As to the matter of relief, which the township has always feared might prove to be a big item in Ajax, had been anything but burdensome to date, Mr. Johnston declared, with only three families on relief there at the present time. Home owners in Ajax were being carefully screened, he said, and only good citizens with steady jobs were being allowed in.

A meeting to discuss the two proposals, and come to a decision, if possible, has been called by the Municipal Board at Brougham on Thursday, Oct. 27th.

Skunks in Brougham

Many are the reports of the skunk population in this Pickering Twp. hamlet, but an interesting one was learned this week: One of the striped pussies was trapped, but managed to make good his escape carrying away the trap. A clicking sound under front porch drew Mrs. M. Matthews' attention, and she discovered the intruder a week later still carrying the trap, and thumping his way around. Corner garageman Bruce Easton was called in to put an end to Mr. Skunk with his rifle.

BROUGHAM

Mrs. E. Carswell and daughter Lynn also Mrs. Bent and son Kenneth called on Mrs. W. Hamilton on Friday.

Mr. C. Devitt called on Mr. Milne of Green River on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Sheppard and Byron and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sheppard visited friends in Toronto on Saturday.

Mrs. L. Hall of Brooklin called on her cousin, Mrs. L. Matthews, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stewart, Mrs. E. Woodward and Evelyn visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Hyatt of St. Annis.

On Monday evening, October 3rd, the Friendly Bible Class of St. John's United Church met at the home of Mrs. Helen Gray. The president, Frank Carter, conducted the business meeting. It was decided to hold a Hallowe'en party in the town hall on Friday evening, October 28th, for the community. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Duncan on the first Monday evening in November. Mrs. Jack Mitchell was in charge of the worship service. Rev. McLaughlin of Whitevale gave an interesting and informative talk on the churches in Scotland which he visited this summer. Mr. Ross Knox conducted a few contests enjoyed by all. The evening closed with refreshments.

The Woman's Missionary Thank Offering service of St. John's United Church will be held on Sunday evening, October 16, at 8 o'clock. Miss Frances Bonwick, Literature Secretary of the W.M.S. of the United Church of Canada, will be the speaker. There will be special music.

A community Hallowe'en party sponsored by the Friendly Bible Class will be held in the hall on Friday evening, October 28, with prizes for fancy costumes.

The regular monthly meeting of the W.M.S. will be held on Oct. 18, at the home of Mrs. Gordon Duncan at Markham. Mrs. John White with group C will give the program. Roll Call—the word heart. This meeting is to be held at 2:30 p.m. daylight saving time. Anyone wanting transportation is to be at Knox's store at 2 p.m.

Induction service will be held in Claremont on October 21st at 8 p.m. when Rev. H. H. Lackie will become pastor of Claremont and Brougham Churches. Reception service will also be held during the evening.

Mrs. A. F. Harvey of Montreal and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Sharp of Greenbank called on their aunt, Mrs. T. C. Brown, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Barrett visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ellicott on Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Devitt assisted in the services at Green River on Sunday morning.

Mrs. R. W. Witter and Gladys of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. L. Matthews.

Mrs. L. B. Sheppard spent a few days last week with her daughter Marjorie in Toronto.

Mrs. Atkinson of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Devitt and daughter Mary Louise of Toronto called on his brother Carl and Mrs. Devitt on Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Matthews and Mrs. Wilson spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crawford of Whitby.

ATHA

Mr. and Mrs. Hurley and family spent Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Albert Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dowdell, of Toronto and Mr. Richard George from Ridgeway, N.Y., visited on Sunday afternoon with Mrs. A. Carruthers and family.

Several from here attended the Harvest Thanksgiving Service at the Christian Church in Stouffville on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zellers of Stouffville were guests on Thanksgiving Day at Mr. and Mrs. Gren Draper's.

Miss Ella Whitson and Mrs. Albert Draper were guests on Thanksgiving Day, of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Draper, Mrs. Draper's son.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Forgie, Mary, Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Forgie, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Forgie, all of Markham, and Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Wideman and the Carruthers, all enjoyed a turkey dinner on Monday at Mr. John Forgie's home in Dunbarton.

Guests at the Robertson home on Michael's Hospital for a check over Agincourt, Mr. and Mrs. Fyles and family of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Toronto.

Mrs. L. Hoover entertained her family and friends from Toronto, over the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mr. Albert Draper has gone to St. Michael's Hospital for a check over and will be home in a few days.

Congratulations to Donald Dunkeld who won 3rd prize at Greenbank and 2nd prize at Orillia Plowing Matches.

Plowmen who left for the plowing match at Brantford were: Mr. David Tran, Mr. Joe Tran, Mr. Murray Dunkeld and Donald, Mr. Allan Meyer.

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Thursday, October 20

REG. JERSEY CATTLE

1 Prince's Dream Lad, 117939, richly bred Jersey Bull, 3 years old, son of Roslyn Dream Lad's Prince of Roslyn Park Farm, Galt, Ont.

2 Helen's Nancy Jean, 152344, Cow, bred August 6.

3 Nancy Jean's Susie, 206932, heifer, 2 years old, dam, No. 2 cow, milking, bred Aug. 29.

4 Nancy Jean's Sybil, 212284, yearling, vaccinated, dam, No. 2 cow, sire, No. 1.

5 Trilix's Little Gypsy, 152348, cow, fresh.

6 Heifer Calf, I.D., born July 1st, 1949, dam, No. 5 cow.

7 Gypsy's Sunbeam Trix, 206933, 2 years old, milking, dam, No. 5 cow.

8 Heifer Calf, 2-D, born August 12, 1949, dam, No. 7 cow, sire, No. 1.

9 Dream Lad's Lucy, 212285, born August 3, 1948, twin with No. 1-D, sire, No. 1.

10 Dream Lad's Lussie, 212286, born August 3, 1948, twin with No. 9, sire, No. 1.

11 Grade, Daisy Cow, bred Sept. 2, 1949.

12 Grade, Heifer Calf, born June 13, dam, No. 11.

HORSES

Bay Mare, 12 years old

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Brown Mare, 12 years old.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

Deering Mower, 5 ft. cut

M-H Cultivator Single Plow

Peter Hamilton Cultivator

Deering Drill, 13 disc, good

Set 4-section Harrows

2-turrow Gang Plow, Frost & Wood

Double Mould Board Plow

Set Bench Sleighs

Wagon and Flat Rack

Potato Digger for Plow

Set Sloop Sleighs

Gas Engine, 2 h.p., on truck

Cutter Milk Cart

2 Logging Chains Scuffer

Turnip Pulper Chop Box

Renfrew Separator, 500 lbs. cap.

Barrel Churn Guernsey Oxford Stove

Quantity of 2" Lumber Plank

Scrap Iron

HARNESS, HAY & GRAIN

Set of Double Harness

Number of Horse Collars

About 6 tons of Loose Hay, sold by the mow

About 5 tons of Baled Hay

About 6 tons of Wheat Straw, baled

About 300 bus. of Erban Oats

Sale at 1 p.m. sharp, D.S.T.

Terms: cash.

No reserve as farm sold.

HOWARD TURNER, clerk.

A. S. Farmer, auctioneer.

Practised in Lindsay Doctor Is Widely Mourned

Funeral services for the late Dr.

W. J. Henderson, Lindsay medical practitioner for some 17 years

were conducted at his late residence on Sept. 27. Service was in

charge of Rev. Harold B. Neal.

Born in Little Britain, Dr. Henderson was educated at Oakwood

public school, Lindsay Collegiate Institute. Before entering the

University of Toronto medical school, he taught school for a time

in Fingerboard. Upon graduation he practised medicine in Cannington and came to Lindsay in 1927.

He retired from practice in 1944 and had been ill since that time.

Surviving are his widow, the former Lottie Davidson, and on brother, George Handerson, of Cannington.

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